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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of Group Art Unit 2873 SHUNICHI IGARASHI Jeanette E. Chapman, Examiner Serial No. 10/089,108 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** I hereby certify that this correspondence was deposited with the United States Postal Service as Filed March 26, 2002 first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF **BUILDING REINFORCING** Commissioner for Patents For P.O. Box 1450 METHOD, MATERIAL Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 AND STRUCTURE on this 5th day of May 2005 e. Secretary to Edward G. Greive

PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The Applicant's attorney hereby requests an extension of time, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), to allow the filing of the Applicant's enclosed Amendment within the fifth month.

A check in the amount of \$225.00 is submitted herewith to cover the fee as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(b).

In the event that the enclosed fee is not sufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>18-0987</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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